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SUBJECT: BAHRAIN: INFORMATION REGARDING UNSCR 1737

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Classified By: Ambassador William T. Monroe for reasons 1.4 (b) and (d)  
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¶1. (C) The Ambassador December 28 delivered reftel information concerning UN Security Council Resolution 1737 on Iran to Foreign Minister Shaikh Khalid bin Ahmed Al Khalifa. The Ambassador emphasized that the resolution requires countries to ensure that no sensitive dual-use technology goes to Iran, and that countries must freeze the assets of individuals and entities identified in the resolution and notify the sanctions committee of the travel of any of these individuals. Shaikh Khalid said Bahrain will abide by the resolution fully and unequivocally.

¶2. (C) In a separate December 28 meeting, Pol/Econ Chief delivered reftel information to MFA Director for International Organization Affairs Ghassan Shaikho. Shaikho affirmed that Bahrain would fulfill all its obligations under the resolution and stated that the MFA had already forwarded the text of the resolution to relevant executive branch ministries and authorities that play a role in implementing the provisions of the resolution.

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